

AMENDMENTS TO LB 247

Introduced by Nantkes, 46

1 1. Insert the following new section:

2 Sec. 8. Section 71-1913.01, Revised Statutes Cumulative
3 Supplement, 2006, is amended to read:

4 71-1913.01 (1) Each program shall require the parent
5 or guardian of each child enrolled in such program to present
6 within thirty days after enrollment and periodically thereafter (a)
7 proof that the child is protected by age-appropriate immunization
8 against measles, mumps, rubella, poliomyelitis, diphtheria,
9 pertussis, tetanus, ~~and~~ haemophilus influenzae type B, and invasive
10 pneumococcal disease and such other diseases as the Department
11 of Health and Human Services Regulation and Licensure may from
12 time to time specify based on then current medical and scientific
13 knowledge, (b) certification by a physician, an advanced practice
14 registered nurse practicing under and in accordance with his or
15 her respective certification act, or a physician assistant that
16 immunization is not appropriate for a stated medical reason, or
17 (c) a written statement that the parent or guardian does not wish
18 to have such child so immunized and the reasons therefor. The
19 program shall exclude a child from attendance until such proof,
20 certification, or written statement is provided. At the time the
21 parent or guardian is notified that such information is required,
22 he or she shall be notified in writing of his or her right to
23 submit a certification or written statement pursuant to subdivision

1 (b) or (c) of this subsection.

2 (2) Each program shall keep the written record of
3 immunization, the certification, or the written statement of the
4 parent or guardian. Such record, certification, or statement shall
5 be kept by the program as part of the child's file, shall be
6 available onsite to the Department of Health and Human Services
7 and the Department of Health and Human Services Regulation and
8 Licensure, and shall be filed with the Department of Health and
9 Human Services for review and inspection. Each program shall report
10 to the Department of Health and Human Services by November 1
11 of each year the status of immunization for children enrolled
12 as of September 30 of that year, and children who have reached
13 kindergarten age and who are enrolled in public or private school
14 need not be included in the report.

15 2. Renumber the remaining sections and correct the
16 repealer accordingly.